

COMMISSION ON DISABILITY ISSUES SPAA Subcommittee Meeting Notice

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Commission On Disability Issues' **Services/Programs/Activities/Architectural Barriers (SPAA) Subcommittee** and to the general public that the commission will hold the following meeting which will be open to the public:

Wednesday, October 14, 2015, at 3:00 P.M. Ward 6 Office, Conference Room 3202 E. 1st Street, Tucson, AZ

Meeting Minutes

1. Call to Order / Roll Call

SPAA Chair-Person Volner called the meeting to order at 3:05 PM **Present:**

Chair-Person Volner
Commissioner Jared Perkins

Absent:

Commissioner Roxanne Torres

No City Staff Members Present

2. Goals for SPAA

Commissioner Perkins suggested that we ask what is meant when talking about Services, Programs Activities and other Architectural Barriers at the next CODI meeting. By this we mean which City departments, other than Parks & Recreation, would it be best for the SPAA sub-committee members to speak with in regards to SPAA related issues.

Chair-Person Volner will e-mail Rick Guerra and ask him about which different City departments and contacts would be most beneficial for the SPAA Sub-Committee, as this might be a more efficient means of obtaining the information that we want rather than waiting for the CODI Meeting.

Commissioner Perkins made a motion, seconded by Chair-Person Volner that the following be accepted as the goal for the CODI SPAA Sub-Committee:

The SPAA Sub-Committee will support the City of Tucson's Commission On Disability Issues (CODI) in removing barriers that affect people with disabilities, specifically by focusing on the areas of services, programs, activities and architectural barriers.

Motion Passed by vocal vote: 2-0.

3. Current Issues

a. Edith Ball Therapy Pool Temperature Consistency

Chair-Person Volner discussed the issues that have been going on at the Edith Ball ARC regarding temperature fluctuations in the Therapy Pool. She stated, for the sake of full disclosure, that she goes there to swim, and had been approached by some other patrons about needing the temperature consistently warm. She mentioned 1 particular issue where, after the pool had been shut down for maintenance and re-opened, the Therapy Pool would be shut down due to high temperature.

At the moment, the issue seems to be resolved, but SPAA Sub-Committee members agree that we will remain attentive of the situation and respond as needed.

4. Call to the Audience (3 minutes each)

No Audience attended. No one spoke.

5. Future Agenda Items

Upon getting more detail from Rick RE: where to gather information specific to SPAA, we will discuss and prioritize issues to be addressed.

6. Adjournment

Commissioner Perkins made a motion seconded by Chair-Person Volner that we adjourn. Motion passed 2-0. Meeting adjourned at 3:40 PM.